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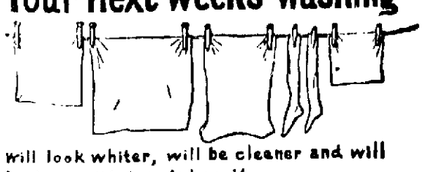
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The Friends of Mr. Blaine Say that His Resignation

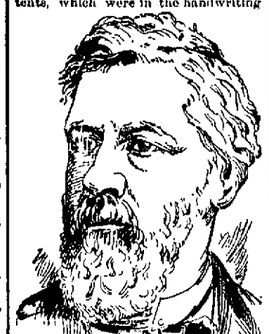
MEANS HIS AVOWED CANDIDATURE,

While the Administration Hosts Interpret It to Mean His Withdrawal from or Refusal to Enter the Race.

An Interview with the Ex-Secretary of State which Leaves the Matter Still in Doubt.—Harrison Unruffled—Both Sides Confident.

Resignation of Secretary Blaine.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—Secretary Blaine resigned the portfolio of the state department shortly before 1 o'clock yesterday. At that hour Mr. Dent, private secretary to Secretary Blaine, with Mr. Blaine's resignation in his pocket, came into the room of Private Secretary Halford at the executive mansion and handed him a communication enclosed in an official envelope of the department of state. Mr. Halford immediately, without knowing its contents, took it into the president's room adjoining and handed it to President Harrison, who was sitting at his desk. He opened it, read the contents, which were in the handwriting



Ex-Secretary of State James G. Blaine.

of Mr. Blaine, written on the official paper of the department of state. The president did not, either in word or action, express any surprise, but handed the letter to Private Secretary Halford, who then for the first time was made aware of its significant import. It was then a few minutes of 1 o'clock, the hour the president receives visitors in the East room. He descended the private stairs of the executive mansion and came into the East room, where he shook by the hand some 200 people who had assembled there. He did not show the least nervousness or appear as if anything unusual had occurred.

After the reception in the East room the president went to luncheon as is his wont. About 1:30 o'clock the president went to his desk again and taking up a sheet of official paper headed "Executive Mansion" indited a reply accepting Mr. Blaine's resignation as secretary of state. This letter was handed to Mr. Blaine in person at his residence on Lafayette Square by Mr. Halford. It was then about 1:45 o'clock.

As soon as the resignation of Mr. Blaine had been accepted an official telegram was sent from the executive mansion to the several departments announcing the fact to the several secretaries.

Within a few minutes after 2 o'clock Attorney-General Miller called and had an earnest talk with the president. Secretary Elkins arrived as the attorney-general was leaving. He remained with the president for some time, and emerging from the president's room, indited a number of telegrams which were sent on from the executive mansion. The telephone, too, was kept busy with messages to the various departments.

The news of Mr. Blaine's resignation created the most intense excitement throughout the city. It was a surprise so big that few would at first believe it. Mr Blaine's most intimate friends did not anticipate it, and were perhaps more surprised than the general public, who have been unable to see how Mr. Blaine could remain in the cabinet occupying the attitude to the republican nomination that he did. The concensus of opinion here is that Mr. Blaine has thrown down the gauntlet and that his resignation is a declaration that he is now an avowed candidate. The news of Mr. Blaine's resignation was given by the secretary himself to the press.

In response to a summons by telephone a representative of the United Press called at Mr. Blaine's residence at 2:40 and was handed a copy of the correspondence in a sealed envelope marked "Important." Surmising its contents the reporter asked if there was anything to add, to which the reply was, "Nothing." Mr. Blaine looked well and walked up and down his library as if he felt the importance of the step he had taken. The letters themselves, though courteous in tone, are utterly devoid of rhetorical flourish or expression of regret and good wishes, the usual formal termination of such communications. They are as formal as the most ordinary business letters.

A gentleman who is ordinarily considered as close to Mr. Blaine was greatly surprised when told the news an hour or so after its announcement. This was taken to indicate that Mr. Blaine had not consulted many of his friends. The effect of Mr. Blaine's resignation upon the situation at Minneapolis is eagerly canvassed; friends of both Mr. Harrison and Mr. Blaine express the fear that if either is nominated the friends of the other will be too sore to go actively into the campaign, and say that it will be necessary to choose some other man upon whom both sides can unite. In an interview Secretary Elkins said:

"Secretary Blaine's resignation does not change the situation in the least. I still think Mr. Harrison will be renominated. Mr. Blaine does not declare that he is a candidate, and until he withdraws his letter to Mr. Clarkson I do not think it would be justice to Mr. Blaine to say that his withdrawal from the cabinet is equivalent to a declaration that he is a candidate. I do not construe his action in that way."

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., June 5.—At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon a conference of the friends of President Harrison was called to be held at the Harrison headquarters, room 798 in the West hotel. Chauncey M. Depew, D. M. Ramsdell, John R. Lynch, John C. New, L. T. Michener, Gen. Lew Wallace, Senator Sawyer, ex-Senator Spooner, Chairman Goudy of the republican state committee of Indiana; Hon. H. Clay Evans, of Tennessee; Hon. Thomas Carter, commissioner of the general land office; Hon. Louis McComas, of Maryland; Charles F. Griffin, of Indiana; ex-Congressman Mason, of Illinois; Hon. Powell Clayton, of Arkansas; W. H. Robertson, of New York; "Long" Jones, of Illinois; Senator Felton and ex-Gov Gear, of Iowa, were among those present. Speeches were made by Mr. Spooner, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Jones and Mr. Depew.

The longest speech was made by Mr. Depew. He said very plainly that he believed the resignation of Mr. Blaine meant his candidacy for the nomination; that the friends of Mr. Harrison had nothing to do but to make a straight-out fight, and that for his part he was willing to make the fight a factional one. They were battling for the success of the party, not of a man, and they must do what seemed to them for the best interests of the party.

The other speeches were in the same vein. The meeting lasted a little more than an hour. At its conclusion the following statement was prepared and given out to the United Press:

A conference was held this afternoon at the headquarters of the Indiana delegation, nearly every state and territory being represented. After a frank and full discussion the unanimous decision was that Mr. Blaine's resignation as secretary of state would not affect the canvass being made for President Harrison in any way whatever. His friends believe that the president is the strongest and best man for the republican party to nominate at this time; that if any republican is elected it will be upon the strength of President Harrison's administration. It was the further opinion, after a canvass, that President Harrison would be renominated on the first ballot as against any and all opposing candidates, there being a sufficient number of votes assured to give him the nomination. There is no wavering on the part of his friends, recent assurances only confirming the predictions heretofore made that President Harrison is the choice of his party and the people.

Hon. T. H. Carter, of Montana, said after the meeting:

"The resignation of Mr. Blaine will not in any way effect the canvass being conducted by the president's friends. Assurances have been voluntarily offered by representatives of every delegation at present in Minneapolis, and by some delegations who have authorized expressions by telegraph, that it is wholly immaterial who the candidates opposed to the president in the convention may be, that he would be loyally supported throughout. Many hours have passed since the resignation of Mr Blaine was publicly announced, and up to this moment I have yet to hear of any delegate expressing any intention or signifying any disposition to change his vote from the president to any other candidate. The numerous delegates that have called at headquarters have almost uniformly used the expression that Harrison was their first choice and they had no second choice. As heretofore claimed by his supporters, the president will undoubtedly be nominated before the close of the first roll call, and thereupon his nomination will be unquestionably made unanimous, and we will approach the campaign with the strongest candidate in sight. It has been most gratifying to note the way in which delegations have come forward with the assurance of unflinching fidelity. Indeed, many persons who had heretofore withheld any expression of preference have since the announcement of the resignation, declared their unalterable purpose to support the president. The canvass will be conducted in the utmost good nature and the work of a majority of the convention will meet the cordial approval of all.

Senator Hiscock, of New York, said: "I think Mr. Blaine's resignation will have no effect on Mr. Harrison's chances. I think it will not take a delegate from him."

Mr. Hiscock was not in the conference of Mr. Harrison's friends yesterday afternoon, but he was in sympathy with it.

Congressman Burrows, wearing a brilliant orange-colored Alger badge, circulated freely in the hotel corridors during the evening talking up Alger stock. "Michigan is for Alger," he said, "and will put his name in nomination." At the same time the Michigan statesman had a few pleasant words for Blaine. "I think," he added, "that Mr. Blaine's resignation very much simplifies the situation. He is now a private citizen and has as much right to be a candidate as anybody else."

BLAINE INTERVIEWED.

Why He Resigned His Great Office.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—In an interview with Secretary Blaine late yesterday afternoon he said that his resignation was not occasioned by the near approach of the republican nominating convention and would not affect his action in the slightest degree. The question of his candidacy or the acceptance of a proffered nomination did not influence him in deciding to retire from the state department. His only object was to obtain personal freedom and peace. Mr. Blaine then proceeded to indicate the reasons which had resulted in his retirement. He felt supersentative because of the constant discussion of his name in connection with the presidential nomination. To this was added the annoyance of sensational rumors constantly placed in circulation as to his being secretly working to accomplish Mr. Harrison's defeat and at the same time encouraging his friends to pursue a similar course. Without any reference to the truthfulness, plausibility or practicability of the reports, they apparently had perceptible effect upon the president's personal friends and most intimate admirers. The feeling daily grew upon Mr. Blaine that he was regarded with suspicion and distrust; that the friends of the administration practically considered him guilty of duplicity; and his associates in the cabinet seemed to look upon him with silent reproach. There also seemed to be a constant desire to humiliate him by urging the necessity for further public declaration that he was not a candidate for the republican nomination. These thoughts and suspicions constantly preyed upon Mr. Blaine's mind until the worry and annoyance became intolerable, and as a consequence he determined to resign. Having fully decided upon that course he desired a speedy settlement of the whole matter in order that he might enjoy the rest as a private citizen which was denied him as a part and parcel of the administration.

THE free delivery system was inaugurated in Canton Wednesday.

How the Blaine Interview Was Received at Minneapolis.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., June 5.—A correspondent of the United Press took a copy of the Blaine interview to the Harrison headquarters at midnight. Mr. Michener, Gen. New, Mr. McComas and Mr. Griffin were in the room. Mr. Michener read the telegram aloud. When he read the statement that Mr. Blaine had been urged to write another letter he stopped and said: "It was his friends that did that." When the reading finished the only comment was that of Mr. Comas, who said: "Well, that does not sound very fierce."

Mr. Michener looked at Mr. New and Mr. New at Mr. Michener. Then Mr. Michener said: "I think we do not care to say anything about this tonight, do we John?"

Mr. New shook his head vigorously.

"We are much obliged to the United Press," said Mr. Michener, "but we would rather not say anything tonight."

And the interview ended.

The Blaine interview was shown to Mr. Platt and Senator Hiscock by the United Press reporter a few minutes later. Mr. Platt read it in silence, and then said that he had nothing to say. Mr. Hiscock said that it was a "queer interview." In response to a question if he thought it took Mr. Blaine out of the race, he said:

"It looks so to me."

Messrs. Clarkson and Filley, who had been in attendance upon the Blaine conference, heard the interview through in silence and then said:

"That is a very interesting statement. It sounds quite like Mr. Blaine."

"Does it make any difference in his relation to the nomination?"

"Well, I should say it did," responded Mr. Filley, with evident satisfaction. "You see he is not writing any letters declining the nomination."

Mr. Clarkson said nothing as to this, but smiled his approval. After the receipt of the news of Mr. Blaine's resignation there were numerous consultations of the advocates of the nomination of the ex-secretary of state, but that did not eventuate in anything until past 10 o'clock last night. It had been impossible previous to that hour to assemble the leaders, owing to their separation by various engagements; but at 10:30 they gathered in the rooms of the national committee. There were present those who were at the conference Friday night, at which it was calculated that President Harrison would have 347 votes in the convention and the opposition 351, and besides those who had arrived yesterday. These included ex-Senator Platt, ex-Gov. Foraker, Senators Teller, Wolcott and Shoup, and others. They remained in conference until 12:15 a. m.

As they separated a reporter for the United Press accosted Clarkson and Filley and asked if any line of action had been decided upon.

"There has," said Mr. Filley, and he referred the reporter to Mr. Clarkson for further answer. Whereupon Mr. Clarkson made the following statement: "At a conference of the friends of Mr. Blaine, representing every state and territory in the United States, it has been decided to formally place his case before the convention, and ex-Gov. Foraker will make the principal speech. It has been a question whether his name should be allowed to come on a roll call without previous announcement or be put before the convention by oration. The latter plan has been agreed upon as the better way, and the duty devolved upon Gov. Foraker of making the speech.

"Who will make the seconding speeches?"

"That has not yet been determined upon," was the response.

As ex-Senator Platt passed through the lobby in company with Senators Hiscock and Washburn on their way to the latter's residence to spend the night, he repeated Mr. Clarksons announcement, with the addition that Gov. Foraker would make the presentation "with authority." At that hour the corridors and state headquarters were practically deserted, and the great body of delegates and visitors learned of this startling change in the Blaine programme when they read it in the papers this morning.

There were a few gentlemen still in the business rooms of the Indiana delegation and they learned of the action of the conference. When a reporter of the United Press entered to ask what they thought of it, "That suits first rate," said Mr. Michener. "We know now just exactly what we have to meet."

Col. New was more explicit and emphatic. "There will be no nomination in that convention before Thursday morning. Then we will renominate President Harrison on the first ballot. By that time the sentiment of the masses of the republican party will have permeated and enthused the convention. By that time, too, President Harrison

A BLACKSMITH SAVES THE LIFE OF A LITTLE GIRL.—Minnie Carney was perhaps as near leaving this world as any one can be, to recover. She was sick with cholera morbus; completely exhausted and unconscious. The physicians in consultation decided the case was hopeless and beyond their control. Chas. J. Newcomb, a blacksmith, walked four miles through the darkness and storm to get a remedy he had himself used, and which he firmly believed would cure her. That medicine was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He obtained a part of a bottle, with which he hastily returned, and gave the little sufferer a half teaspoonful, which relieved her and consciousness gradually returned. The medicine was given in broken doses, and in a short time she was well. He is positive that it saved her life, and has others in that vicinity. For sale by W. W. F. Neisler, druggist. d&w

THE body of John Howard, a farm hand, was found near the railroad track near Freeport.

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An Awful Calamity.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 6.—A Titusville special to the Times says:

Titusville was to-day visited by one of the most appalling fires and overwhelming floods in the history of this country. A conservative estimate places the number of lives lost at fully twenty-five from fire and drowning. As near as can be gathered from reports as they come in, the loss by destruction of property will aggregate fully $1,500,000. All this loss is in the city, with the surrounding country yet to be heard from. A large number of the most extensive and prosperous manufacturing establishments now lay in ashes and hundreds of homes and business places are utterly wiped out, while the streets are filled with a crowd of hungry, homeless, weeping and distracted people mourning the loss of loved ones who have perished in the rush of waters or the fiery billows of flame which engulfed them almost in the twinkling of an eye as they were struggling in the vain endeavor to save their homes.

At this writing the sky is filled with dense and pitchy clouds of smoke arising from the smoldering ruins of refineries, cooper shops, furniture factories, radiator works, hotels, railroad warehouses, cars, dwellings, etc., while the waters of Oil creek are rushing through the streets with almost resistless tide. No tongue, no pen, no language can do justice to the scene of terror and confusion prevailing in this stricken city as the sun went down yesterday. The illuminating gas works, the electric light plant, the city water works, are all under water, while the natural gas mains have been turned off at Oil City. This leaves Titusville without water, fuel or light, at least from the sources from which these necessities have been accustomed to come.

Parents and children stood by without the power to aid one another's struggles against the clutches of the flood, until eventually they went down to rise no more. As sad and as sickening scenes as ever transpired in the valley of the Conemaugh three years ago were repeated here to-day, while thousands looked on unable to avert them.

One father to-night is a maniac over the loss of his whole family of wife and seven children, one a babe three days old.

A brother was rescued from a burning building, where he was forced to leave a sister, her husband and two children to perish.

Many such cases, sad in the extreme, are heard. Many are the fathers, mothers, sisters and brothers wandering aimlessly in search of missing ones who in all probability will never again be heard of.

Thirteen bodies have already been recovered in this city, and reports from further down Oil creek are that seventeen more bodies have been picked up.

Further Particulars of the Disaster.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 5.—Fully one-third of the business and residence portion of Titusville is in ruins. The terrible flood with mighty roar rushes through the streets never before touched by floods, with almost as great fury as when the first tidal wave broke over the confines of the usually small stream.

Brave men with ropes tied about their waists and breasting the terrible current are rescuing the unfortunates who from last midnight until now have patiently awaited their turn. A little 4-year-old boy just brought to shore from the wreck of a handsome residence was placed in the hands of friends. When asked where his parents were he replied with a sob: "Papa and Mama bof drowned."

The people do not realize the enormity of the calamity. It is too full of horror to be grasped. Fully seventy-five people are yet unaccounted for. It is an impossibility, however, to give at this time accurate figures of the loss of life.

Fully 2,000 people witnessed five strong men perish together. Holding to a piece of timber they were struggling to make the shore and just as they reached out for a grasp at the bank a number of oil tanks exploded, and the river of burning oil enveloping the men. Death came almost instantly.

About midnight Saturday historical Oil creek began suddenly to rise. Heavy and almost incessant rains have been prevalent throughout this entire section for the past six weeks. This, however, does not seem to have been the cause of the sudden Oil creek rise, although at first it was thought to be the case. Late reports say that the huge mill dam owned by Thompson & Eldred, and located at the little town of Spartanburg, seven miles above this city, suddenly burst. This body of water was one and one-half miles in length and one-fourth of a mile wide and quite deep. This great body of water thus suddenly let loose made of this devoted valley in the course of a few brief moments a regular inland sea.

This sudden avalanche of water descending when most of the inhabitants were sleeping silently, at once shut them off from the higher portions of the city. Notwithstanding this state of affairs the danger in the city was underrated, no one having the slightest idea that the flood, dangerous as it was, was to be soon augmented by fire. This, however, was true, for at 2 o'clock this morning, immediately following three terrific explosions, which shook the city to its center, a great light went up from the direction of the Crescent refinery, located on the north side of the creek, on the east end, and owned by John Schwartz & Co. A second look showed the entire plant to be one vast sheet of solid flame, the light from which illuminated a full half mile of surrounding blackness, and showed to the assembled and horrified spectators the full extent of the great calamity that had befallen their beautiful city.

The tongues of flame shooting 200 feet and more straight into the heavens; the shrieks and agonizing cries of the helpless human beings caged in their dwellings like rats in a trap in the middle of that rushing and mighty water, and within the very shadow of death from burning oil, benzine and naphtha that threatened at any time to engulf them; the shrill whistling of a hundred and one steam whistles; the jangle of the fire bell; the clatter of the steamers, hose carts and ladder trucks; rattle of the cars; rush and rumble of the body of water, and the sky-piercing flames all went to strike terror to the stoutest heart.

The people, in their eager haste to get to some place out of danger, they knew not where, in many cases rushed pell mell over each other, and scores were injured by being knocked down and trampled on. Oil creek, now swollen to 500 times its natural size and reaching from one hillside to the other presented an appalling picture. Floating swiftly by on its bosom were all sorts, manners and kinds of animals and inanimate objects, tanks, stills with the steam in them and blowing off, houses, barns, horses, cows, chickens—everything, almost, being borne onward with a rush. Clinging to various objects, such as driftwood, pieces of boards, timbers and any other object they could lay hands on were scores of human beings, their white and terror-stricken countenances, desperate struggles and plaintive soul-piercing cries for aid, all combining to create impressions in the minds of the beholders never to be effaced or forgotten.

About one hour from the time the Crescent works caught another alarm was sounded and it was found that oil discharged from overturned tanks further up the creek had scattered itself over a broad enough expanse of water to reach the Crescent fire, where it at once ignited and in a moment a large acreage of the creek was one vast sea of fire. This blaze soon spread to the International oil works, owned by J. H. Thomas & Co, and they were soon in a blaze.

Then came the large refining plant and soap factory of Rice & Robinson, which the flames in a short time reached and consumed.

The wind was in the right quarter and on sped the fire, arriving in due time at the Oil Creek refinery and wax plant—as fine a one as was in this country and but recently completed. These works are at the present time on fire and burning brightly. Three stills have already exploded and fears are entertained that further extensive damage may be done during the course of the fire in wiping out the three big refining plants, the largest independent plants in the city. It has destroyed the large furniture factory, store and store room of Casperson & Rowe, located on South Franklin street, the Cullen hotel, opposite the Western New York & Pennsylvania passenger depot; the Western New York & Pennsylvania freight depot, and about seventy-five private dwellings.

FATAL COLLISION.

A Sunday Excursion Train Meets with a Serious Accident.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., June 6.—A special to the Courier from Owensboro, Ky., says: A colored excursion train of three coaches and a baggage car, which left here at 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning, collided with the regular northbound passenger on the Owensboro & Nashville road, near South Carrollton, about 9 o'clock, with very serious results. Hugh Barclay, fireman, and Henry Estley (colored), porter on the excursion train, were killed. Both lived at Russellville.

The following, all of Owensboro, are known to be injured: Jerome Holm, colored, both feet cut off; Woodford Griffin, right leg fractured; J. Wood, colored, leg broken; Will Scott, Annie Webster, Eva Martin and Wm. Clark, all colored, slightly injured; Pat Fahey of Russellville, engineer on the excursion train, leg dislocated.

So far as can be learned the accident was due to engineer Fahey disobeying orders in going beyond Stronds, where the excursion train was to side-track for the passenger. He jumped and escaped injuries except as above. Barclay, fireman, remained on the engine and was killed. Both engines were completely demolished.

The negroes here are wild with excitement because of wild rumors that rapidly flew over the city, and are buying the depot officials. A special train left here at 4 o'clock for the scene of the accident.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Exports of gold from New York for the week ending Saturday were $1,847,606; silver, $511,150.

—The president has granted a further respite until June 24 to Clinton E. Dixon, sentenced to be hanged in Omaha.

—Alden Fales was found guilty of murder in the first degree, at Newark, N J., for killing Thomas Hayden, the bookkeeper for Potter's straw hat factory

—Frank Lenz started from the New York city hall for a bicycle trip around the world via San Francisco. He lives in Pittsburgh, and is a noted long-distance rider.

—A fearful rainstorm, attended by several cloud-bursts, covered an area of sixty miles along the Lehigh river, in Pennsylvania, from White Haven to Easton, Friday afternoon.

—William Meyers, a laborer of Cleveland, O., quarreled with his wife at noon Saturday, and shot her three times, after she had fled from their house into a neighbor's. After the woman fell, Meyers ended his own life by blowing out his brains.

—Gov Flower has pardoned the labor agitator, Joseph Barondes, who was sentenced to Sing Sing for blackmail in obtaining $100 from the cloak firm of Popkin & Marks, New York, on the promise that he would send their cloak makers back to work.

"ROYAL RUBY" PORT WINE.

The term "delicate health" is used to express a physical condition, in which the powers of nature appear to be partially exhausted, and the system is peculiarly sensitive to all morbid influences. Slight causes, which would produce no disturbance whatever in the body or mind of a robust individual, prostrate the strength and depress the spirits of persons in delicate health. Recourse should be had under the circumstances to "Royal Ruby" port wine. If there is any reserve of vitality in the enfeebled organization, this unequalled exhiliarant and tonic will rouse and develop it. Quart bottles $1.00; pints 60 cts. Sold and guaranteed by Dr. A. J. Stoner, druggist. Bottled by Royal Wine Co., Chicago.

KNOX college students rendered the oratorio "Elijah" as an opening of commencement week.

Executrix' Notice.

Estate of George W. Still, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Executrix of the estate of George W. Still, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 6th day of June, 1892.

EVELINE L. STILL, Executrix, &c. □

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MONDAY EVE., JUNE 6, 1892.

SOME people seem to think that going to jail is more of a disgrace than stuffing a ballot box.

PUBLIC opinion has fixed the status of W. B. Hunter, and whether he was up or down stairs in jail will make but slight difference.

THE Minneapolis convention, unless it allows itself to be stampeded, which is not probable, will do the best thing for the party.

THE *Review* has done up Deputy Sheriff Midkiff, in its mind. It has made Harry so tough that the chances are if he comes up for office, he will be hard for the Democrats to "chew up."

REPUBLICAN leaders have no right to quarrel over the nomination of a president. The rank and file have some rights that must be respected and few of them have little concern about the disappointments, of those who expected to control the administration, and failed to do it.

Give the Colored Race a Chance.

The Decatur *Review* is still engaged in the contract it undertook, namely, to show that the colored man is well treated in the south and that the outrages upon the race reported from that section are outrages only in the columns of Republican papers. Its last effort in this direction says:

But the Republicans are in need of colored men's prayers for deliverance. These prayers are good for campaign purposes, if for nothing else. And you will note that before the colored man praying for deliverance reaches his "amen" the Republican editor deftly shoves in politics. Before the colored brother got through with his petition to the Lord, the active editor was before the country with a howl about "southern mobs," and "bands of partisan murders."

Of course the Republican editor was there before the colored man reached his amen. So was the Republican party. It represents the civilization in this country that was organized as an everlasting bulwark against the encroachment of the Democratic slave-ocracy. It became the defender of the negro race when that oligarchy went into the business of disrupting the Union because it could not rule it, and it is his defender now. When the opposition to southern dictation became so strong in the north as to threaten its power it asked to be let alone. The same thing seems to be taking place now as to the race question. When an attempt was made to secure a federal election law that would give the government power to compel those who refuse it to grant the colored man his right as a voter, the southern Democracy and the entire northern Democratic annex cried out against it and characterized it as a "force bill." This bill was supported by the Republican newspapers as freely and conscientiously as they have denounced the southern outrages upon the colored race from the days of the Ku-Klux until the present time.

This the *Review* thinks the Republican papers have done for political purposes. It is beyond the power of the Republican press to make this a political question or the Democratic press to wave it aside as having no connection with politics. It is political pure and simple, and is so beyond the power of the *Review* to change it. The situation that worries the *Review* is that these outrages have been and are still being committed upon the colored race. The Republican press denounces the outrage and demands fair treatment for the colord people. The Democratic press unable to defend the outrage, and being without moral courage to denounce it takes the remarkable and untenable position that these outrages have not been committed save in the columns of the Republican press.

Of this class of Democratic apologists the *Review* is a prominent example. It is without shame for its course or that of its party, and without sympathy for a race so recently freed from slavery and which is now battling against all the disadvantages thrown in its way by Democratic partisans, for a start socially and politically.

The *Review* quotes again one of the southern partisans, Bishop Fitzgerald, to prove that the colored race has no reason to pray for deliverance as no outrages have been committed against the race. The trouble with this witness is that he is a pious fraud. He knows how to be loyal to the Democratic party better than he knows how to respect his God. Henry Watterson does not, like this Bishop, wear the livery of heaven to serve the Democratic party in, but makes a plain every day business of being a Democrat. In the April *Chautauquan* writing of this race trouble he said:

Then came an era of freebootery to which he (the negro) served as a mere appendage and pretext. Then came an era of reaction and violence to which he (the negro) served as a victim. * * * In short the *ante bellum* theory that the negro once a free man and citizen, and a voter could and would take care of himself is held to have proved a failure in practice. * * We (the government) have tried force. The absence of force has tried itself, all to no purpose.

This is the story as touched upon by Watterson. It admits that the negro race has been the victim of outrage in the South, which fixes the fact that all the while these outrages were going on and at the present time when such papers as the *Review* attempts to argue that these outrages exist only in Republican papers for political purposes, that it does so with a full knowledge that it is violating the truth in the interest of the Democratic party when it does so. In this respect, however, it does not differ materially from other northern Democratic papers.

Present Need of Tonnage.

The present needs of commerce with foreign nations may be supplied by ten cubic feet, or one-tenth of a ton of shipping per capita, which would make 6,300,000 tons of shipping needed at the present time, on the basis of sail. Foreign nations now enjoy full seven-eighths of our ocean carrying. *How did they get it?* We were enlightened and became *liberal*. We had been successful and became *boastful*. We were brave and became *rash*, despising competition. We struck off the shackles from transportation, and when foreign nations found our trade as free as "air," all our boasted skill and superiority went down like grass before the mower's scythe. This is the truth of history, and free trade lies are not black enough to cover it up.

All the world knows we are eminently successful under the rule of early days, and also that we have signally failed to improve on the politics of Washington, and the economics of his great chiefs of state. They created our merchant-marine and developed our naval power. It remains for this generation to re-create, re-develop and maintain it as it once was, in its glory and grandeur

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We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure.
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THE BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by King & Wood, druggists. d&w

Chicago's Lake Traffic.

Some idea of Chicago's lake traffic may be formed from the statement that the aggregate entrances and clearances in 1890, for the great lakes, numbered 86,980, of which 21,054, measuring 10,268,688 tons, were at that port. The corresponding aggregate for New York is 15,283, and for the entire seaboard of the United States, 37,756. The tonnage has nearly doubled itself in the last ten years, and it is possible to conceive of a like increase by 1900, for 54,411 miles of railway terminate here, and in a year move 43,000,000 tons of freight. Besides, in the central northern and northwestern states the total freight moved is 196,000,000 tons, a fair proportion of which goes to Europe.—C. C. Rogers in Scribner's.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Governor,
JOSEPH W. FIFER.
For Lieutenant-Governor,
LYMAN B. RAY.
For Secretary of State,
ISAAC N. PEARSON.
For Auditor,
CHARLES W. PAVEY.
For Attorney-General,
GEORGE W. PRINCE.
For State Treasurer,
HENRY L. HERTZ.
For Congressmen-at-Large,
RICHARD YATES, JR.
GEORGE W. WILLITS.
For Trustees of University of Illinois,
EMORY COBB,
ROBERT B. STINSON,
SOLON PHILBRICK.

For Congressman, 13th District,
BENJAMIN F. FUNK.
For Member of the State Board of Equalization
R. C. MAXWELL.

CORNS and bunions may be removed by paring them down closely as possible without drawing blood; then soak them in warm water to soften them, and apply Chamberlain's Pain Balm, twice daily; rubbing them vigorously for ten minutes at each application. A corn plaster, should be worn for a few days, to protect them from the shoes. As a general liniment, for sprains, bruises, lameness and rheumatism, Pain Balm, is all that can be desired. For sale by W. F. Neisler druggist.

"Fast Black Hosiery,"

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A NOTABLE society event at Ottawa was the marriage of Dr. John R. Hoffman to Mary Thomas Hopeman.

Dr. JOHN BULL'S SARSAPARILLA.

Happy the household where the women folks are cheerful, contented, healthy and happy. How pitiable the home where mother, sister, or wife lies ill. How grand the remedy that is suited to the ills of womanhood and that will restore nervous, sickly, aching, despondent and

WEAK WOMEN

to robust health and strength. Such a remedy is Dr. John Bull's Sarsaparilla. It revives, strengthens, and regulates the feminine constitution. Mrs. Mary F. Wilkinson, Jackson, Tenn., writes: "I was a very healthy woman before my marriage, but dating from an accident my health got to be very bad. My complexion became sallow. I became nervous and sleepless; I grew thin and despondent. My appetite was fickle, and what I ate laid like lead upon my stomach. My habits were irregular, and I was

MADE

to suffer much pain. I used prescriptions of several good doctors, but my ailments increased. A bearing down pain about my back and loins seemed as if it would kill me. I was subject to frequent headaches and billious attacks. In this condition I began a use of Dr. Bull's Sarsaparilla. It seemed precisely suited to my condition. Every spoonful seemed to go to the right spot. I soon showed great improvement, and my friends rejoiced at my returning health. I used it during the months of March and April, and give it all the credit for my present enjoyment of life and good health. It is a boon to weak and suffering women and will make them

STRONG.

Nelly Davis, Helena, Ark., writes: "Dr. Bull's Sarsaparilla has improved my health wonderfully, also greatly improved my looks. I had eruptions on my skin but they have disappeared, and I was very weak, with no appetite, and at times suffered great pain, but now I feel quite well again."

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This remedy never fails to give satisfaction. Try it when children act peevish and cross It may be worms that ails them. It tastes good. Price 25 cents at drug stores or sent by mail by John D. Park & Sons Co., wholesale agents, 175 and 177 Sycamore Street, Cincinnati, Ohio.

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As played at the Broadway Theater, New York, 200 nights, twelve weeks in Chicago, etc.

The cast includes MISS HELEN BERTRAM, whose reappearance here will be welcomed by her numerous admirers, Miss Bettina Gerard, Miss Minnie Du Rae, Miss Gussie Cogan, John J. Raffael, Wm. Schuster, Henry Stanley, Jos. Fay, Melville Stewart and Richard F. Carroll.

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Trout Fishing at Night.

Do trout feed in the night during the full moon? In answer I would say no. Can you catch them better during the full moon? To this I would also say no. The best time to catch them at night is early in the evening before the moon rises, or after it sets in the morning. Only in the darkest night do trout bite best. They don't feed on the same ground at night that they do in daytime. You will find them in shallow water above a pool or below, where it is best to use a dark fly, and getting close to your fish, make your cast as delicately as in daytime. Never use bait with your flies. I never have had luck with a white miller.—American Angler.

Cutting Ice by Electricity.

A new departure in ice cutting has been proposed by a man who contends that it is quite practicable to cut the ice by means of a wire, heated electrically. His plan is to install a portable steam and dynamo plant at some convenient point on the shore, near to the ice harvesting operations, and run from the dynamo a suitable steel wire of the required length with a proper return. By generating a sufficient current to maintain the temperature in the wire at about 200 degs., and by stretching the wire taut along the surface of the ice a means of cutting through the mass would at once be established.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Married on an Eleven-year-old License.

Vaclav Koran and Elizabeth Fredrick were made husband and wife by Justice Daniel L. Wheeler Friday afternoon on the authority of a marriage certificate issued Sept. 27, 1881, eleven years ago. The license bore the signature of County Clerk E. F. C. Klokke. Koran is now forty-three years old, and she is two years older. The obstacle which had kept apart their yearning hearts so many years was the veto of an angry father. A year ago the father died, and after waiting twelve months for propriety's sake the constant lovers were married. —Chicago Herald.

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May 2-d1m

Executrix' Notice.

Estate of John H. Davidson, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Executrix of the estate of John H. Davidson, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Macon county at the court house in Decatur, at the August term on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 30th day of May, 1892.
SARAH A. E. DAVIDSON, Executrix, &c.
m31-d3w

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.—The co-partnership heretofore existing between George W. Handy and Edwin F. Kuny, under the firm name of Handy & Kuny, real estate and insurance, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, George W. Handy retiring.
GEO. W. HANDY.
EDWIN F. KUNY.

The business will be conducted at the same place by the new firm, Kuny & Johns, to whom all claims due the old firm must be paid.
EDWIN F. KUNY.
SHERIDAN W. JOHNS.
Decatur, Ill., June 1, 1892.-d6

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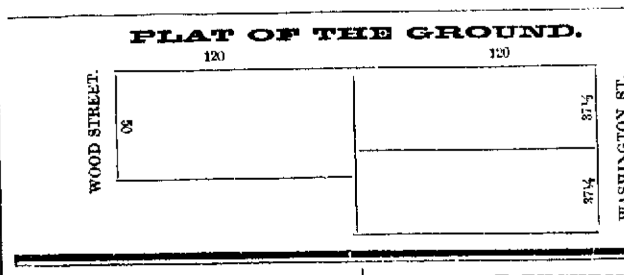
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FOR SALE.

I offer for sale the property now occupied by W. W. Foster. It has a frontage on Wood street of 50 feet, and runs through to Washington street where the frontage is 75 feet. The house has eleven rooms, with all modern conveniences. It must be sold at once.

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BARGAIN COLUMN

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.]

For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

FOR THE JOHN ROBINSON SHOW AT Pana, Ill., on June 9, the I. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets Decatur to Pana at $1.30 for the round trip on that date, good to return until June 10th. On sale at city office or union depot.

WANTED—You to save your rent and own your own home. The National Building Company will buy lot and build you a house in any locality, and give from 5 to 20 years to pay for same, in weekly or monthly installments, no interest. Address I. N. WOODS, Assistant General Manager, Room 305 Fort Building, 17 Quincy St., Chicago, Ill. Solicitors wanted. june4-d3

FOR SALE—Another Saftey Bicycle—a high-grade wheel in first-class condition—cheap for cash. CLINTON M. BRODESS, 142 Merchant street. 2-d6*

SEALED BIDS for the erection of a new frame School House 22x34 in district 8, town 16, range 3 east, seven miles east of Decatur, in Long Creek township, will be received up to July 1, 1892, at 12 o'clock noon, at Long Creek, Illinois, by S. M. C. Davis box 20. Plans and specifications may be seen at S. M. C. Davis, one and one half miles southwest of Long Creek Station, until June 30, 1892. A bond will be required of the contractor of double the amount of the bid. S. M. C. DAVIS, Clerk of Board of Directors. june2-d1w&3w*

WANTED—Every lady and gentleman in the city to call at 213 North Main street and see the Magic Oil Gas Burner. Will furnish as much heat as gasoline, at half the cost, and no danger from explosion. Agents wanted.
m31-d6* C. E. JONES, Gen. Agt.

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HERE'S YOUR CHANCE—For sale, at from $275 to $300, ten choice lots in Powers' addition, near the new school house.
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NOTICE—We wish to inform our friends and patrons that we have secured one of the latest improved feather renovators and are now prepared to do you better work than ever, and at prices to suit the times. Call on or address J. S. Cox & Co., 318 East Cerro Gordo St., next to Tait's check rower. m20-d4w

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A. BOURNE, successor to McGowan & Co., 614 East Eldorado street, buys second-hand goods. Repairing done, upholstering, &c., on short notice. Call and see him. apr5-dtf

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FRANK BICKES & BRO.—Contractors and builders of Artificial stone. Plain and ornamental sidewalks a specialty. Will make estimates on building stone, etc. Address, Bickes & Bro., 1345 or 738 East Eldorado street, Decatur, Ill. mch18-dtf

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LADIES HAIR WORK—In every style worn, and ventilated curls, frizzes, bangs and wigs made to order. Hair cutting for ladies and children a specialty. MRS. BOWMAN, Merchant street, over Stine's clothing store. f23-dtf

WANTED—Second-hand stoves and furniture, for which we will pay cash. Bargain in second-hand goods.
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aug29-dtf 135 and 137 North Main St.

HOUSE CLEANING — Headquarters for House cleaning, Wall Paper cleaning, and Upholstery of all kinds at 152 East Prairie St.—upstairs. Montgomery & Hammons. Satisfaction guaranteed. dec21-dtf

MONEY TO LOAN—In large or small amounts Loans made on live stock, farm machinery, or household goods. Call and see me before placing your loans. Office 22 North Water St., above Peddecord, Burrows & Co.'s bank.
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THE DECATUR NURSERY will save you 50 per cent. on trees, small fruit and other plants. All stock guaranteed. Don't be misled by foreign agents. Come direct to the Decatur Nursery, West King street, near fair grounds, Decatur. feb2-d&wtf

CHICAGO SECOND HAND STORE — All kinds of Oak Stoves at half price. All kinds of Cook Stoves at bargains. Parlor stoves from $3 up; chairs 25c; beds, wardrobes, lounges, parlor suits, bedroom suits. All goods at rock bottom prices, and everything bound to sell.
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WABASH EXCURSIONS.

ON ACCOUNT OF THE MEETING OF THE Supreme Lodge, Ancient Order United Workmen, the Wabash R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Helena, Mont., at one fare for round trip. Tickets will be sold June 8th to 12th inclusive. Good returning for 30 days Tickets will be sold going via St. Paul and returning via Missouri River, or vice versa. For full particulars, write or apply to C. A. POLLOCK, P. and T. A. Wabash R. R., Decatur, Ill. mar15tojun12

ON ACCOUNT OF THE ANNUAL MEETing of the German Baptists, the Wabash R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and return at one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be sold May 30th to June 6th, good going date of sale, good returning up to and including June 30th. For full particulars write or apply to C. A. POLLOCK, P. and T. A. Wabash R. R., Decatur, Ill. mar15tojun6

ON ACCOUNT OF THE REPUBLICAN National Convention the Wabash R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Minneapolis and return at one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be sold June 5, 6 and 7, good going day of sale, good returning up to and including June 25. For full information write or apply to C. A. Pollock, P. & T. A., Wabash R. R., Decatur, Ill.

ON ACCOUNT of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor the Wabash will sell excursion tickets to New York City at one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be sold July 3d to 6th. Good going date of sale. Good returning up to and including August 15th. For full information write or apply to C. A. Pollock, passenger and ticket agent, Decatur, Ill. 27 10t

FOR THE NATIONAL REPUBLICAN CONvention at Minneapolis, the Wabash R. R. will sell tickets at one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be sold June 2d to 6th, inclusive good returning till June 25th. The Wabash offers you the choice of any route from Chicago. All Wabash trains make close connections at Chicago. m25-10t

THE Wabash R. R. will sell excursion tickets at one fare for the round trip as follows:
Cedar Rapids, Io., tickets sold May 30 to June 6
Millbrook, Pa., " " " " " " 4
Minneapolis, Minn., " " June 2 to June 6
Detroit, Mich., " " " 6 & " 7
Helena, Mont., " " " 8 to " 12
Buffalo, N. Y., tickets sold June 12 and 13.
Omaha, Neb., tickets sold June 14
Chicago, tickets sold June 17 to 21.
Omaha, Neb., tickets sold June 29 to July 2.
Detroit, Mich., tickets sold July 13 and 14
Washington, D., tickets sold July 16 and 17.
Kansas City, tickets sold August 20 to 23.
For any further information write or apply to C. A. Pollock, P. and T. A., Wabash, R. R. Decatur, Ill.

HOLIDAY EXCURSIONS.

THE P., D. & Ry. will sell excursion tickets between all stations at one fare for the round trip. Dates of sale, July 2d, 3d and 4th, good for return including July 5th. For tickets, call on T. Pentwell at City Office, or C. O. Judson, Union Depot.

UNTIL further notice the I. C. R. R. will sell round trip tickets Decatur to St. Louis Saturday evening or Sunday morning and Limited for return on trains reaching Decatur Monday morning following. One fare for the round trip. Call on T. Pentwell, City Office, or C. O. Judson, Union Depot.

FOR THE NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL Association of the United States, the P. D. & E. R. R. will sell excursion tickets on July 5th to 13th, inclusive, Decatur to Saratoga, New York, at one fare for the round trip, plus two dollars for membership fee. Tickets good returning from July 10th to 19th, or tickets can be extended for return until September 15th, by depositing them with the agent of the committee on or before July 19th. Call on T. Pentwell, city office, or C. O. Judson, union depot.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION AT MINNEAPOLIS.—The Illinois Central Railroad will sell tickets from points on its lines at one fare to Minneapolis and return, such round trip tickets being on sale as follows: From stations outside a radius of 250 miles of Minneapolis, on June 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, with return limit until June 25, inclusive, from stations within a radius of 250 miles of Minneapolis, on June 3, 6, 7, 8 and 9, good for return passage until June 15, inclusive. For specific rates, train time, connections and other information, call on your local Illinois Central R. R. ticket agent, or address the nearest of the following representatives of that road: J. F. Merry, A. G. P. A., Manchester, Ia.; F. B. Bowes, G. N. P. A., 194 Clark St., Chicago, Ill. A. H. Hanson, G. P. A. may27

SUPREME LODGE, A. U. W.—For the above occasion, the Illinois Central Railroad will sell tickets from stations on its lines in connection with connecting lines, to Helena, Mont., at one fare for the round trip. Such excursion tickets will be on sale June 8th to 12th inclusive, good for thirty days, and can be obtained to be good going via either St. Paul, Minneapolis or the Missouri River, and for the return, if desired, in the opposite direction. For tickets and further information, call on your local Illinois Central ticket agent, or address your nearest of the following representatives of that road: J. F. Merry, A. G. P. A., Manchester, Iowa; F. B. Bowes, G. N. P. A., 194 Clark St., Chicago. A. H. Hanson, G. P. A.

DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION. The Illinois Central Railroad will sell, account of the Democratic National Convention to be held in Chicago commencing June 21st, tickets at one fare for the round trip from stations on its lines as follows: On June 17, 20, 21, 22 and 23, limit until June 27th, from points within a radius of 250 miles of Chicago; on June 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, from points beyond a radius of 250 miles of Chicago, limit until July 6th. This will enable one to visit Chicago at a time of year when its parks and other outward features are fresh and attractive, and, in addition to attending the convention, will give an opportunity to visit the wonderful and, externally, nearly completed World's Fair Buildings. For tickets and further information, call on your local Illinois Central ticket agent, or address your nearest of the following representatives of that road: J. F. Merry, A. G. P. A., Manchester, Iowa; F. B. Bowes, G. N. P. A., 194 Clark street, Chicago. A. H. Hanson, G. P. A. may25

ELECTION NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
DECATUR, ILL., May 23, 1892.

Notice is hereby given, that an election will be held at the office of the Decatur Baggage and Transfer Co., Tabernacle building, in Decatur, on Tuesday, June 7, 1892, for the purpose of electing one member of the Board of Education, to serve for the term of three years. Said election will be opened at 9 o'clock a. m. and close at 7 o'clock p. m. of said day.

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one special execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of the firm of Buckingham & Schroll, composed of Isaac A. Buckingham and Charles E. Schroll, and against James M. Steel, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit. The undivided one-eight part of all that part of the southeast quarter (¼) of section thirty-two (32), township fifteen (15) north, range two (2) east of the third principal meridian, lying west of the right of way of the Illinois Central railroad, except lots No. ten (10) and eleven (11) of block No. two (2) of Steel's addition to Macon, situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, taken as the property of the said James M. Steel, which I shall offer at public sale at the foot of the west stairway leading to the circuit court room in Macon county, in said state, on the 11th day of June, A. D. 1892, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

Dated this 17th day of May, A. D. 1892.
PETER PERL, Sheriff of Macon County, Illinois, by HARRY K. MIDKIFF, Deputy.
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[illegible] meeting of A. [illegible] held at Helena, Montana, [illegible] June 4 [illegible] thirty days, at [illegible] city office, 219 [illegible] Union depot.

[illegible] of German Baptist [illegible] Cedar Rapids, Iowa, [illegible] will sell tickets at [illegible] Tickets will be sold [illegible] and returning until

[illegible] Every [illegible] have made [illegible] River Packet [illegible] week from Decatur [illegible] of 10 or more for [illegible] leaves Evansville [illegible] Trip on steamer [illegible] berths included in [illegible] for 10 days. Parties [illegible] accompanied by agent, who [illegible] of passengers and see [illegible] convenience. For infor- [illegible] 10 N. Water, or [illegible]

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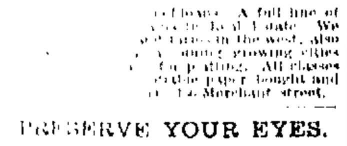
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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

[illegible] April 1, 1892.

WABASH.

[illegible]	POST. LOUIS.
[illegible]	No. 3 Pass ... [illegible] a m
[illegible]	No. 3 Pass ... 3.45 a m
[illegible]	No. 43 Pass ... 4 05 a m
[illegible]	No. 45 Pass ... 2 05 p m
[illegible]	No. 5 Pass ... 2 55 p m
[illegible]	TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.
[illegible]	No. 13 Pass ... 4 30 a m
[illegible]	No. 45 Pass ... 3:10 p m
[illegible]	No. 1 Pass ... 9 07 p m
[illegible]	No. 47 Acc ... 6 45 a m
[illegible]	No. 71, Freight 12.45 p m
[illegible]	TOLEDO & DETROIT
[illegible]	No. 46 Pass ... 6:25 a m
[illegible]	No. 44 Pass ... 11:10 a m
[illegible]	No. 12 Pass ... 10:22 p m
[illegible]	No. 48 Pass
[illegible]	to Bement ... 3:16 p m
[illegible]	TO CHICAGO.
[illegible]	No. 2 Pass ... 12.15 a m
[illegible]	No. 6 Pass, ex- cept Sunday 6 35 a m
[illegible]	No. 4 Pass ... 11:16 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

[illegible]	SOUTH.
[illegible]	No. 1 Pass ... 5 30 p m
[illegible]	No. 41 Pass ... 2 56 a m
[illegible]	No. 4 Pass ... 10:25 a m
[illegible]	No. 11 Freight 7 50 a m
[illegible]	No. 3, Champaign Line, arrives, 10:16 a m

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN.

[illegible]	LEAVE.
1 35 p m	No. 2 Pass ... 11.16 a m
[illegible]	No. 4 Pass ... 10 20 p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
1 10 p m	No. 1 Pass ... 11:06 a m
6 56 a m	No. 3 Pass ... 10:15 p m
[illegible] Pass, Sunday	No. 31 Pass, Sunday
7 [illegible] a m	only ... 9.00 p m
[illegible] 6 [illegible] a m	No. 11 Freight 2.00 p m

TERRE HAUTE & PEORIA.

EAST.	WEST
No. 2 Pass ... 7 55 p m	No. 1 Pass ... 11 35 a m
No. 4 Pass ... 7 00 a m	No. 3 Pass ... 7:30 p m
No. 6 Pass ... 9:18 p m	No. 5 Pass ... 6:30 a m



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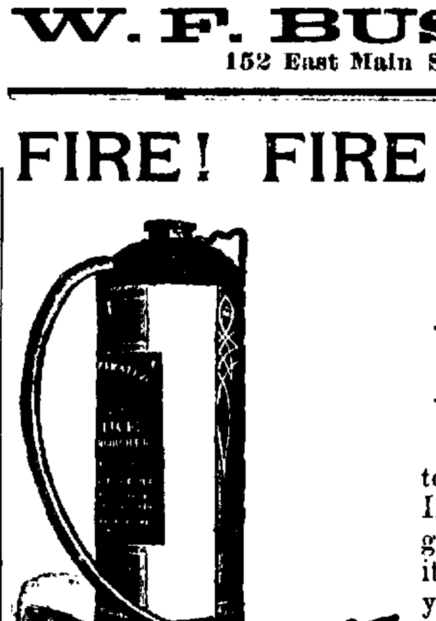
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MONDAY EVE., JUNE 6, 1892.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

THE Duff Opera company appears at the Grand Tuesday night.

BUGGY-RIDING was greatly enjoyed on Sunday. The day was charming.

MORE Decatur recruits have gone to Dwight to receive the Keeley cure.

TELEPHONE Ed. Bramble, 426, for pure lake ice. 7-d1m

USE the popular White Loaf and Daily Bread flour. Both brands firstclass.

NEW spring shades in kid gloves and mousquetare suede gloves, just received at Linn & Scruggs D. G. & C. Co.

COMIC opera to-morrow night at the Grand. "Queen's Mate" by the Duff company.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

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CHOICE berries and vegetables every day at Philip Kemper's store on North Water street, No. 801.

YOU will like the popular Little Rose and Bouquet cigars. They are made by Michl.

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THE home grown strawberries may be had at Hanks & Co.'s grocery store on South Water street.

THE place to get a piano of standard make at your own price and easy terms is at C. B. Prescott's music store on North Water street. Step in and examine the Haines, Sterling and Everett instruments.

THE most reliable make of Ladies' Muslin Underwear and Corset Covers at lowest prices, can be found at Linn & Scruggs D. G. & C. Co.

COURT is in session. The first week will be given up to chancery cases, with no jury. Next week the jail cases will receive attention, when the petit jury will report.

BOILS, carbuncles, and eruptions of all kinds are nature's effort to throw off poison from the blood This result may be accomplished much more effectually, as well as agreeably, through the proper excretory channels, by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

THE Illinois Central has given orders to all agents instructing passengers to procure tickets before entering the train. This order is imperative, and brakemen must take the precaution to see that all passengers procure tickets before they are allowed to board a train.

REPORT gives fortunes to some actors as follows: Edwin Booth, $750,000; Joe Jefferson, $1,000,000; Stuart Robson, $400,000; W. H. Crane, $400,000; Denman Thompson, $250,000; Joseph Murphy, $300,000; Roland Reed, $150,000; Oliver Byron, $150,000; Edward Harrigan, $100,000; Clara Morris, $250,000; Fanny Davenport, $200,000; Lotta, $100,000; Maggie Mitchell, $250,000; Sol Smith Russell, $100,000.

Riverside Park Theatre.

The Lyceum Company opens Tuesday night with a good comedy drama. The performances are free to all who ride on the car line. The company is a good one and should be greeted by a crowded house.

Shave Yourself.

Gentlemen who shave themselves will find the star safety Razor and outfit just the thing. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW. june2-dtf

MISS LULU BELTZ and Herbert A. Hathaway, both deaf and dumb, were married at Taylorville.

Do You Know It.

A common cough is the most dangerous thing in the world to neglect; a slight hacking cough is also very dangerous, as it always leads to Bronchitis and Consumption. Don't neglect them. In selecting a remedy for coughs, colds and Bronchitis, be sure and get one that is not full of Opium and one that will not produce Constipation. Ballard's Horehound Syrup does not constipate, remember this. It is perfectly harmless for children, and it's the most soothing and healing Throat and Lung medicine in the world. In cures Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Sore Lungs, tickling in the throat and greatly strengthens the Lungs after Pneumonia. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. 4d&w

OTTO ZIMMERMAN of Lexington was run over and killed by a Chicago & Alton train.

A Leader.

Since its first introduction, Electric Bitters has gained rapidly in popular favor, until now it is clearly in the lead among pure medicinal tonics and alteratives—containing nothing which permits its use as a beverage or intoxicant, it is recognized as the best and purest medicine for all ailments of Stomach, Liver or Kidneys.—It will cure Sick headache, Indigestion, Constipation, and drive Malaria from the system. Satisfaction guaranteed with each bottle or the money will be refunded. Price only 50c per bottle. Sold by Kind & Wood druggists.

Buggies, Buggies, Buggies.

When you want a Buggy, Surrey or Phaeton come and look through our stock. We have some of the best buggies made and our prices are the lowest. THE SPENCER & LEHMAN CO. April 21-d&wtf

HENRY HIPPS of Aurora while unloading machinery had both arms broken.

DEATH OF GUY BARNES.

Sorrow in the Home of Captain and Mrs. J. A. Barnes.

The many friends of the deceased and of the family will be shocked to learn that Guy Elwin Barnes, second son of Captain and Mrs. John A. Barnes, passed away in death at 5:40 p. m., Sunday, June 5th. Twenty-two days ago Guy was prostrated by typhoid fever, which had fastened such hold upon his system as to withstand successful treatment by the physicians who were called in to attend him. He was delirious during the greater part of his illness, and those who watched at his bedside, gave him medicine and anticipated his every want, hoped for the best, while at times they realized that the dreaded disease would end the young life. Death came in the shadows of Sunday evening. Guy was born September 8, 1876, and was aged 15 years, 8 months and 28 days. He had been a member of the First Baptist church three years, and in the church, in the school and with his large number of acquaintances everywhere Guy was a popular companion. To his parents his death is a severe blow and to them in their time of sad bereavement the REPUBLICAN extends the sympathy of the entire community.

The funeral will take place this evening at 5 o'clock at the residence, No. 531 West William street, Rev. C. E. Torrey, of the Baptist church officiating. Owing to the nature of the disease the services will be brief. The pallbearers will be Lon Tuttle, Paul Smith, Max Crossman, Carroll McIntyre, Lewis Coonradt, Jesse Whitsit and Milton Johnson.

AT REST.

Funeral and Burial of the Late Charlotte Lake.

Sunday evening the funeral of the late Mrs. Charlotte Lake, sister of the late Judge Greer, and mother of J. C. Lake, of Decatur, Dr. Lake, of Kenney, Samuel M. Lake, of Washington, and Mrs. Martha Hamlin, of Indianapolis, took place from the residence of Mr. Lake on North Water street. The rooms were filled with neighbors and friends and on the lawn were many who were unable to to find seats in the house. In the company were scores of elderly people of the city who had known the deceased during her long residence in Decatur. The impressive services were conducted by Rev. James Miller, of the First M. E. church, assisted by Rev. H. H. Oneal of Grace M. E. church, who read the scriptural selection and offered prayer. The music was by Mrs. Ralph Templeton, D. L. Bunn and Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Oneal, and the selections were "Some Sweet Day," "Abide With Me," and "It Is Well." The sermon by Rev. Miller was beautiful in thought, touching in delivery and the conclusion was an assurance of eternal life of bliss and joy for the deceased. The clergyman spoke of the long life of the departed, who died at the age of 81, and said that she had been a member of the Methodist church sixty years. The lesson to the living was a discussion of the responsibilities of life so that in the end the reward may be bestowed. In childhood, youth and middle life the responsibilities came, and with them opportunities for good which if not embraced make ripe old age a time of disappointment and regret. Mother Lake had passed the declining years of her life in the blessed assurance of rest on the other shore, and had gone to her reward. The remains were borne to Greenwood cemetery attended by a long funeral cortege. The pallbearers were John Ullrich, D. C. Shockley, M. F. Kanan, W. C. Johns, C. M. Imboden and W. S. Grubbs. Dr. and Mrs. Lake, of Kenney, were the relatives present from out of the city.

A National Meeting.

The ninth annual encampment of the National Prohibition Camp Meeting begins at Oakland Park, Thursday, July 14 and continues eleven days. Among the speakers under engagement are: Col. Geo. W. Bain, Kentucky; Dr. Oronhyatekah, Canada; Father Martin Mahoney, St. Paul; Mrs. Clara Hoffman, Missouri; Rev. Anna Shaw, Boston; Col. John Sobieski, Poland; Rev. W. H. Boles, Illinois; Senator Castle, Mrs. Daisy B. Carlock, Kentucky; Dr. C. N. Grandison, Georgia; L. J. Smith of Colorado and others.

The Jingler Quartette, Miss Neal Hawkins, the noted prima-donna Soprano, of Chicago, Miss Essie Harrington, cornetist, of Edinburg, will assist in furnishing music. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Beverage of Nebraska.

SPECIAL DAYS.

Opening Day, Young Men's Oratoical Contest. July 15, Equal Suffrage Day, July 16, Children's Day. July 18 and 19, W. C. T. U. Days. July 20. "Y" Day. July 21 and 22, Good Templar Days. July 22, Industrial Day.

There will be two Grand Gold Medal contest. Excursion rates on all railroads.

Woman's Club Meeting.

Saturday afternoon at the Woman's Club House, a special meeting was held which related mainly to reports on impressions received at the recent congress of Women in Chicago. Mrs. E. C. Philbrook gave a very entertaining paper on what she saw and heard as a delegate to the convention of federated clubs. Mrs. C. P. Thatcher and Mrs. M. W. Shultz also related their experiences. The following musical and literary programme was observed:

Duet—"Steeple Chase Galop" ... Misses Field and Ebert
"Cheerfulness" ... Gumbert
Mrs. Templeton, Miss Oneal, Mrs. Oneal.
"Historical Outline of Musical History to the Fifteenth Century" ... Miss Honkle
"Illustration"—Roundelay ... Miss Fritchett
"Perpetual Motion" ... Weber
Miss Fridley.
Quartet—"The Tritan" ... Molloy
Misses Ebert, Oneal, Pritchett and Mrs. Oneal.
"Theoretical Outline of Musical History to Fifteenth Century" ... Miss Fridley
Illustration—"Canon"
Misses Oneal and Pritchett and Mrs. Oneal.
"Serenata" ... Moskowski
"Novelette" ... Scharwenka
Mrs. Harris.
Vocal Solo—"The Siren" ... Tinney
Miss Knieper.
Duet—"At Full Speed" ... Kowalski
Misses Hamsher and Henkle.

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SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC.

Special communication of Ionic lodge, No. 312, A. F. & A. M. this (Monday) evening, for work in Third degree.

J. S. MCCLELLAND, Sec. S. D. MAY, W. M.

DID IT IN A HURRY.

W. B. Hunter Out of Jail on Bond to Answer.

Attorney W. C. Johns made a flying trip to Springfield Saturday evening to secure a supersedeas in the election fraud case of The People vs. William B. Hunter, and he accomplished his mission in what is the quickest time on record. And while he was gone Hunter languished in the body of the county jail, a prisoner, who Attorney Buckingham said was an object of persecution, making that declaration in face of the fact that a jury composed of five Democrats and seven Republicans had found him guilty, unanimously, on the first ballot. Fortunately, the Wabash trains made schedule time Saturday, and therefore it was possible for Attorney Johns to return at 10:10 p. m. Had he missed the train either way, or had there been a collision, what would have happened to Hunter's peace of mind, or that of some of his political friends, is only a matter of speculation. On his return to Decatur with the writ, the attorney was whirled to the county jail, where Hunter was found in the office of the jail, waiting to give bail and walk out. Had the supersedeas been denied Hunter would have been compelled to serve out his time, 110 days, but it was granted by Judge Pleasants, and bail was given by the defendant, A. T. Davis, Weeden Smith, I. W. Ehrman, H. C. Montgomery and J. G. Cloyd. The amount was $1,000. The supersedeas is a writ staying the execution of the sentence until the appellate court judges can review the case, and pass on the question whether or not a new trial shall be granted. In case the verdict is affirmed, Hunter will go to jail again.

ON TO BUSHNELL.

State Encampment of the Illinois Sons of Veterans.

The tenth annual encampment of the Illinois Division Sons of Veterans will be held at the fair grounds in the city of Bushnell, June 18 to 25, beginning on Saturday and closing on the following Friday. Three hundred tents will be placed on the fair grounds for the use of the Division. On Monday of the week of the encampment a tamarack flag-staff 100 feet in length will be planted and "Old Glory" unfurled to the breeze. Excellent parade ground, band stands, amphitheater, convention hall, or convention tent, dining hall, check rooms, rooms for committees and officers, plenty of good water at hand, and meals at 25 cents served on the grounds in the large dining hall. The grounds will be lighted by electric light. An excellent martial band has been secured for the week, and arrangements are being made for one of the best military bands of Illinois to furnish the music for all parades and entertainments. A quartet of ladies will furnish vocal music that can not be excelled.

The Division Council and staff will meet Saturday. Religious services will be held Sunday forenoon in the opera house. The mornings of the week will be devoted to the business interests and convention of the Division; the afternoons to public speaking, music, prize drills and parades, and the evening to camp-fires, balls and banquets.

The following prizes for drill will be given. There must be at least two competitors in each class:

Open to all, $250, as follows: $125 to first, $75 to second, $50 to third.

Open to camps which have not before competed, $125 as follows; $75 to first, $50 to second.

To cavalry, $100 single prize.

To artillery, $100 single prize.

Silent zouave squad drill, $60 as follows: $40 to first, $20 to second.

Individual drill, $25, as follows: $15 to first, $10 to second.

Commander-in-chief Barstow S. Weeks and staff, Governor J. W. Fifer and other distinguished people will be in attendance at times during the encampment.

The "Queen's Mate" Comic Opera.

The "Queen's Mate" comic opera to be given here the first time on Tuesday evening by the Duff Comic Opera company, appears to be the most popular work of their repertoire. The Philadelphia *Leader* in commenting upon the performance says:

A large audience welcomed the Duff Comic Opera company at the Park last evening. The opera given was Lecocq's tuneful and picturesque work. "The Queen's Mate," and the performance was frequently interrupted by the applause bestowed upon the pretty choruses and melodious solos. The chief rols were ably filled and throughout the presentation was excellent.

Miss Helen Bertram and Miss Bettina Gerard sang and acted well the parts of "Anita" and "Inez" respectfully. Miss Bertram's pure and well-trained high soprano, and Miss Gerard's rich mezzo-soprano fitted the music alloted to them. Mr. Wm. Schuster, whose fine bass voice has many admirers in Philadelphia, won several encores by his artistic singing of his solos. Mr. Henry Stanley gave an able rendering of "General Pantaquet."

Most of the comedy element was in the hands of Richard F. Carroll and John J. Raffael and was very cleverly upheld throughout. Mr. Carroll introduced much that was new and nothing that was coarse, and for this alone the audience seemed to be thankful.

The chorus of the company is very large and of excellent quality. The voices are fresh and well-trained. The costumes are exceptionally good.

Sunday at the Park.

Several thousand people were at Riverside Sunday afternoon to hear the sacred concert given by Goodman's Band. The musicians were on a stand placed near the river, beyond the foot bridge. The park was crowded. There was fine music from 1:30 to 5:30 and everybody lingered to hear the last of the many excellent selections. Prof. Walter was in charge of the band. It was a beautiful day and all enjoyed the outing.

At Joliet.

Governor Fifer on Saturday heard a number of applications for pardon. He granted a few, but among those denied were those made by Noble Randall, sent up from Piatt county for one year for manslaughter; Thomas Grayson, sent up from Decatur for five years for robbery and Ezekiel Phillips, sent up from Douglas count for life for murder.

BASEBALL.

National League and American Association.

The following games were played Saturday:

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphias	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	*	—4
St. Louis	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	—3

Batteries—Weyhing and Clemens; Gleason and Buckley.

AT BROOKLYN.

Brooklyns	1	0	0	1	0	1	5	0	0	—8
Clevelands	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	—4

Batteries—Foutz and C. Daily; Cuppy and O'Connor.

AT WASHINGTON.

Cincinnatis	1	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	0	—7
Washingtons	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—5

Batteries—Chamberlain, Mullane and Murphy; Gastright and Milligan.

AT BALTIMORE.

Chicagos	0	0	0	2	3	0	2	0	*	—7
Baltimores	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	—3

Batteries—Hutchinson and Kittridge; Buffinton and Robinson.

AT NEW YORK.

New Yorks	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	1	1	—6
Louisvilles	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	—2

Batteries—King and Fields; Stratton and Dowse

AT BOSTON.

Bostons	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	—6
Pittsburghs	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	—2

Batteries—Stivetts and Kelly; Woodcock and Mack.

Scheduled Games for To-Day.

St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Chicagos at Baltimore.
Cincinnatis at Washington.
Clevelands at Brooklyn.
Louisvilles at New York.
Pittsburghs at Boston.

Western League.

At Kansas City—Columbus, 4; Kansas Citys, 3.

At Omaha—Omahas, 9; Toledos, 4.

At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 8; Fort Waynes, 4.

At Milwaukee—Milwaukee-Indianapolis game postponed Wet grounds.

Illinois-Indiana League.

At Aurora—Auroras, 2; Joliets, 0.

At Terre Haute—Terre Hautes, 9; Quincys, 6.

Yesterday's Games.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 10; Fort Waynes, 5.

At Milwaukee—Milwaukee, 10; Indianapolis, 3.

At Kansas City—Columbus, 12; Kansas Citys, 2.

At Omaha—Omahas, 11; Toledos, 5.

ILLINOIS-INDIANA LEAGUE.

At Aurora—Rockfords, 5; Auroras, 3.

At Evansville—Evansvilles, 4; Quincys, 3. Eleven innings.

At Terre Haute—Terre Hautes, 6; Jacksonvilles, 2.

How They Stand.

The following table shows the standing of the several league baseball clubs at the close of play on Saturday, June 4:

	P.	W.	L.	Pc.
Boston	40	29	11	.725
Brooklyn	38	24	14	.632
Cincinnati	41	25	16	.610
Chicago	39	23	16	.590
Philadelphia	40	21	19	.525
Pittsburgh	42	22	20	.520
Cleveland	40	20	20	.500
New York	39	19	20	.487
Louisville	39	17	22	.436
Washington	38	15	23	.395
St Louis	41	14	27	.341
Baltimore	39	9	30	.231

FIFTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

(First Session.)

HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, June 4.—The house to-day passed the post office appropriation bill. Several hours were frittered away in filibustering against a motion made by Mr. Hatch to take up his antioption bill. The filibusterers were finally successful and Mr. Hatch was forced to move an adjournment.

Congressional Forecast.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—The session of congress this week will be perfunctory, although some business will probably be transacted. The absorbing interest in the Minneapolis convention will have the effect of leaving little interest in the proceedings. By agreement no business of a political character will be brought up for disposition, although it is probable the senate will take up the free wool bill to-day and begin its consideration, without any intention, however, of securing a vote on it. To-morrow Senator Morgan will address the senate on the silver question, and it is likely that the rest of the week will be spent in further discussion of the wool bill. The senate may take a recess of two days during the week.

To-day will be suspension day in the house, and among the bills which will be called up for passage is one repealing the tax of 10 per cent. on state banks. It is the intention of the chairmen of the committees on rivers and harbors and naval affairs to ask that conferences be granted on the river and harbor and naval appropriation bills. The only element of uncertainty in the programme of the house concerns the probable action of Mr. Hatch in moving to take up his antioption bill. His previous motions on this bill resulted disastrously, but Mr. Hatch is resolved to keep pegging away and his chances for success are very good. If the antioption bill is not taken up the legislative appropriation bill will be considered for most of the week.

The National Conference of Colored Republicans.

CHICAGO, June 5.—At the national conference of colored republicans held here to-day, resolutions were adopted declaring that President Harrison's statement that he had no constitutional power to interfere in their behalf to prevent lynchings in the south is not in keeping with the spirit of the constitution nor the religious sentiment of the age. The resolutions petition the national republican convention to be held at Minneapolis to insert in its platform a plank guaranteeing protection to the negro in the south.

Caught Long on May Corn.

CENTRAL CITY, Neb., June 6.—The Platte Valley bank closed its doors Saturday morning, owing to inability to pay a draft for $5,000 from Chicago. Cashier Starrett had used up the funds buying May corn.

Wool at Boston.

BOSTON, June 6.—Receipts of wool the past week were 12,695 bales domestic and 3,266 bales foreign. Sales, 1,671,000 pounds domestic and 448,000 pounds foreign.

THE Virginia Hotel company will build, at a cost of $21,000, a two story hotel at Virginia.

MY customers have been using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for several years and will have no other kind. The reason is; because it can always be depended upon, is quick in its actions and perfectly safe. Dr. R. St. John, Howland, Mo. For sale by W. F. Neisler, druggist.

Special Bargains

during this month in Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Bleached and Brown Muslins Crashes, Table Linens, Towels and all Housekeeping Goods, at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co.

THE Pope will make an exhibit from the Vatican at the World's Fair.

CONKLIN & HOUSUM,

Wall Paper and Room Mouldings.

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Paper Hangers and Frescoers.

125 East William Street, Opposite Library Block.

JOHNSTON'S.

151 North Water Street.

WE INVITE

Particular Attention to Our Linen Stock.

Some Unusual Values for the Money.

REMNANTS OF LINEN CHEAP.

Note the Prices:

6-8 Bleached Fringed Table Cloth, $1.25

8-10 Bleached Fringed Table Cloth, colored border, $1.50.

8-12 Bleached Fringed Table Cloth, colored border. $2.50.

8-12 Bleached Fringed Cloth, Heavy German Linen, $2.00.

8-4 Heavy Plain Cloth, $1.25.

8-10 Heavy Plain Cloth, $1.25.

8-10 Heavy Plain Cloth, $2.00.

Table Sets, 8 10 Cloth, fancy blue or yellow border, $3.50.

Table Sets, Plain and Fringed, 8-12 Cloths at $4.50, $5.00, $7.00 and $10.

Bleached Napkins, 75c a dozen; Colored Napkins, 50c a dozen.

All Linen Towels, 5c each.

Knotted Fringe, Fancy Border, Linen Towels, 15c each.

Stamped Linen Scarfs, 25c to $2.50 each.

Pillow Shams, 25c a pair.

THE SPECIAL SALE

—OF—

SILKS

Will be Continued Thro' This Coming Week.

Be sure and take advantage of the UNUSUAL LOW PRICES.

Figured Indias, were $1.25, now 90c a yd.

Black Silk Grenadine, figured, worth 75c, now 58c.

200 yards Rhadzimer Silk, all silk, and worth $1.25, for 75c a yard.

Colors, Pink, Light Blue, Dark Blue, Cardinal, Green and Cream.

SPECIAL.

50 Cashmerine Embroidered Suits, Patterns, all colors, $2.19 A SUIT.

Chas. T. Johnston,

151 North Water Street.

WHY WE ARE ALWAYS BUSY.

BECAUSE our Prices are Lower than any other House

BECAUSE our stock is the Largest and contains the Best Assortment in the city.

BECAUSE we always sell you exactly what we represent.

BECAUSE we sell you goods upon the Easy Payment Plan at Cash Prices.

BECAUSE the people know that when they want anything in the FURNITURE or Stove line they can always find it at our store.

BACHMAN BRO. & MARTIN CO.,

East Main Street.

ARE YOU GOING TO BUY

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MANTEL Our stock is New, and we carry the best selections of Hearths and Facings in the city.

REFRIGERATOR We have the coolest and dryest made. The ventilation is perfect. Don't fail to see them.

Gasoline Stove The Reliable Process large stove is the best make on the market. We also hav small Reliable stoves, one two and three burners; all guaranteed.

GAS STOVE No Gas stove or Range is as well made and as simple as the Reliable. Recommended by all who use them.

Lawn Mower The Pennsylvania, the standard of Lawn Mowers, is the only one that will give satisfaction.

Builders' Hardware If you are building don't fail to see the fine Bronze Goods we ar carrying.

Estimates to Contractors. Our Prices Always the Lowest.

C. L. GRISWOLD & CO.

MILLINERY! MILLINERY!

Look at This!

This week we show a fine line of Trimmed Hats, of Bright Colors, Choicest Designs, Correct Styles and Shapes, at Prices that were never before heard of in Decatur. Call and see for yourselves.

SEE OUR GRAND DISPLAY,

SEE THE LATEST STYLES,

—ONLY TO BE SEEN AT—

MRS. E. L. PITTENGER'S,

With ANTHONY & WEBB,

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Our Second Annual Spring Sale of Toilet Wares, open now, on our second floor.

BEAUTIFUL SETS AT..... $2.25

BEAUTIFUL 12-PIECE SETS, with Jar,.... 3.90

You have always paid in Decatur $7.50 to $8.50 for these goods.

Our line of Fine Goods, all colors, and "Royal Worcester Finish," are the handsomest goods ever shown for $25 or $30 -Our price, $15 to $18. See them.



OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,

Second Floor, China Department.



THE CUT

That Makes Our Competitors Squeal.

WE ARE MAKING A CUT

IN

Spring and Summer Clothing

That makes them move off in spite of unseasonable weather. Still there remains A COMPLETE LINE. We have cut the best end off our profits.

BRYAN, JONES & CO.,

4 Doors West of Post Office.

1892—1855—37

We have left behind us another milestone on the highway of our business career, and are now entering upon the 37th year of catering to the wants of the public.

We will, as heretofore, aim to please, and you can rest assured that the best of everything to be found in a first-class meat market will always be offered you.

Thanking you for past patronage bestowed and respectfully soliciting a continuance of the same we remain,

Imboden Bros.

THEY ARE HERE!

The Best and Most Attractive Line of

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S

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That has ever been shown in the city. Call and see them.

WALTER HUTCHIN

North Water St. Sign of the Big Shoe

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

MONDAY EVE., JUNE 6, 1892.

ICE CREAM SODA.

Our Fountain is now Open, and we are dispensing the Finest ICE CREAM SODA in the City.

KING & WOOD.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce WILLIAM B. CHAMBERS as a candidate for member of the Board of Education at the ensuing election

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

The Alaska

Refrigerator is so constructed that no *filth* can accumulate. It is *always sweet* and clean and requires no attention. Put in the ice, *it* does the rest. For sale only by E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

DRESS & SON, tailors.

UMBRELLA sale at Anthony & Webb's.

POTATOES 60c a bushel, at Arcade.

TEETH, $8—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar26 dtf

LADIES' and Boys' shirt waist at ANTHONY & WEBB'S

THE new location of May & Churchman, grocers, is in the Syndicate Block. dtf

IRON VASES for lawns and cemetery lots. W. H. Grindol & Son, sole agents. apr14-dtf

TELEPHONE for family groceries to May & Churchman in the Syndicate Block Prompt delivery. 5dtf

A FINE line of fruits and vegetables every day at May & Churchman's grocery store in Syndicate Block. 5dtf

POTATOES 60c a bushel, at Arcade.

OUR all-wool, fast-black hosiery at reduced prices to clear out stock. LINN & SCRUGGS D. G. & C. Co. d&wtf

SILK Mits and Fans at a bargain. ANTHONY & Webb.

SATISFACTION is always guaranteed when you use Rock Plaster the best plastering material made. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

STEP into the Syndicate block and see May & Churchman, the grocers, in their new location. They have one of the neatest stores in the city. apr5-dtf

FOR a good hard wall and one that will have less cracks than any other use Rock Plaster. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

BEST Assortment of *Corsets* in city. Prices the lowest. ANTHONY & WEBB.

SYLVESTER JONES, of Cerro Gordo, has been granted an original pension through the agency of M. Shea, pension attorney.

GOODMAN'S BAND will play to-night at the opening of Pennwell & Bennett's confectionery stand on North Water street. An excellent program has been arranged.

W. D. CHAMBERLAIN & Co., northeast corner of the park, is the place to get your upholstering done, or anything in the mattress or feather line. m27d2w

J. J. JACOBS has a first-class barber shop, first door east of Dr. Stoner's drug store on South Park street, where excellent service will be given the public at all times. Give Mr. Jacobs a call for a good shave or hair cut. 1-d1w

Tennis shoes, 75c and $5 a pair. Chocolate, tan and brown shoes, for men, newest patterns, made by Hanan & Son and Burt & Packard, at m30-d&wtf POWERS' SHOE STORE.

SATURDAY evening at the meeting of the Chautauqua Division of the Woman's Club officers were chosen as follows: Mrs. James Bevans, president; Mrs. E. W. Oneal, vice-president; Mrs. J. S. King, secretary and treasurer.

THE vocal organs are strengthened by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Clergymen, lawyers, singers, actors and public speakers find this preparation the most effective remedy for irritation and weakness of the throat and lungs, and for all affections of the vocal organs.

S. B. GRIER, real estate and insurance agent, will occupy the rear part of the office of W. H. Shorb, justice of the peace, over Hutchin's shoe store. The fire occasions this change, and he solicits his patrons to call on him at his temporary office. j4-d1w

AT the Sunday school primary institute Friday afternoon there will be a class of at least 75 "little tots" for Miss Butler. The children are being drilled in singing two songs, which they will render. All the primary teachers in our city are urged to be present.

Jewelry.

Our sale of Sterling silver Hair pins at 60 cents is a great bargain. Only a few more left. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW. june2-dtf

CAUTION—Beware of imitators in South Bend and elsewhere who copy Miss Flora A. Jones' advertisements, circulars and letters. Get the Genuine Blush of Roses, which you will always find at Swearingen & Tyler's in Decatur.

THE Danville high school graduated nine young gentlemen and nineteen young ladies.

Guaranteed Cure.

We authorize our advertised druggist to sell you Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, upon this condition. If you are afflicted with a Cough, Cold or any Lung, Throat or Chest trouble, and will use this remedy as directed, giving it a fair trial, and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. We could not make this offer did we not know that Dr. King's New Discovery could be relied on. It never disappoints. Try it. Trial bottle free at King & Wood's drug store. Large size 50c and $1.00. bm

THE Galena river is out of its banks and has partly submerged the city of Galena.

The World is Better for It.

The world is better because of such a remedy as Ballard's Snow Liniment, because this article relieves it of much pain and misery, and thus we are enabled to enjoy its bright side. It positively cures all forms of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Headache, Sick Headache, Lame Back, all Sores and Wounds, Cuts, Sprains, Bruises, Stiff Joints, Contracted Muscles, Poison, Eruptions, Corns, Weak Back, and all pain and inflammation on man or beast. 'Tis the best because 'tis the most penetrating. Beware of all white Liniments, which may be palmed off on you for Ballard's Snow Liniment. There is none like it. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. 4-d&w

A NARROW ESCAPE.

The Breaking of a Shaft Saves the Lives of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. McNabb.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. W. O. McNabb were out buggy riding on East Eldorado street and their horse was struck by a street car and very seriously injured. They were riding east and the approaching car was running at a good rate of speed and was rocking up and down on the springs in such a way as to frighten the animal. He turned suddenly toward the car, which struck him on the side and dragged him a number of feet before the power was shut off, and severely bruising him. When the car struck the horse the shock snapped off the shaft and prevented the buggy from being overturned and the occupants of the buggy thrown out and probably dragged or caught under the wheels of the car, in which case the result would have been terrible to think of.

THE CIRCUIT COURT.

The June Term Opened by Judge Vail.

The June term of the Macon county circuit court began this afternoon when Judge Vail delivered the usual charge to the grand jury, of which Robert M. Machan is foreman.

The court bailiffs appointed for the term are Samuel Weitsel, Joe Murphey, J. S. Bawes and J. Q. A. Odor, the last named bailiff being placed in charge of the grand jury.

A number of motions on the chancery docket were disposed of. This week will be given up entirely to the consideration of law cases. Next week, when the petit jury will appear for duty, jail criminal cases will receive attention.

Equal Suffrage Convention.

The Equal Suffrage association met in the basement of the old Presbyterian church at 10 o'clock this morning, according to previous announcement, but it soon adjourned and became an open caucus in which a number of persons, not members of the association took part. James Lindsey, of the *Bulletin*, was elected to preside, and Mrs. Underwood performed the duties of secretary. As soon as the meeting was organized, Dr. A. L. Collins moved that the convention proceed to nominate a woman candidate for member of the Board of Education. The motion prevailed and Mrs. M. Stafford was nominated but declined and a committee consisting of Dr. A. L. Collins, Mrs. J. G. Shea and Mrs. Mary E Scott were appointed to prevail upon Mrs. Stafford to accept the nomination. When the meeting adjourned Mrs. Stafford had not yet given her consent.

Tested the New Organ.

Saturday evening between four and five o'clock a number of people gathered at the new Presbyterian church to hear an impromptu recital given on the new organ by Prof. Albert Condell. There were many musicians and choir singers in the audience, and all were enthusiastic in praise of the big instrument, which is one of the finest to be had. A water motor is used to keep the organ supplied with wind Prof. Condell brought out the organ to the best advantage, playing a variety of selections. On Tuesday evening, June 14th, Prof. Clarence Eddy of Chicago, which will be heard by a large audience.

Funeral of Marie Haigh.

The funeral services over the remains of Marie the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Haigh, were held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence, No. 1335 North Main street, Rev. M. M. Goodwin, of the St. John's Episcopal church officiating. The residence was filled by large numbers of sympathizing friends and relatives of the family. The floral offerings were many and very handsome, beautiful tributes to the departed. The pallbearers were Harry Hord, George E. Miller, Smith Walker and Ash Hoskins. Burial in Greenwood.

Not The Man.

William N. Roney who was arrested on a Wabash train Saturday on the supposition that he was a man wanted at Decatur on a charge of criminal assault, was released yesterday. Detective Ballard of Decatur arrived yesterday, accompanied by the man who knew the man wanted, and it was found that Roney was not the man.—*Springfield News.*

The man wanted is a party who near Parkville Saturday committed an outrage on a little girl. It now appears that the villain has made good his escape.

Opening To-Night.

The following program will be observed to-night by Goodman's Band at the opening of the Pennwell & Bennett confectionery store:

1. March—"Resolute".....Taylor
2. "A Night in Grenada".....Kreutzer
3. "The Ball of the Hencoop Knight" ....Laurendeau
4. "Queen of Harmony".....W. J. Allen
5. "Synegee Polka".....Casey
6. March .....Selected

Fund for Flood Sufferers.

The members of the Baptist church have subscribed $35 in money and a large assortment of clothing for the sufferers by the high water around St. Louis, who are destitute and have been driven from their homes by the recent high tides and overflowed rivers. The money and clothing will at once be sent to the proper authorities.

Bookstore Sale.

John B. Robinson, who for the past two years and a half has been connected with the Morehouse & Wells hardware company in the capacity of book-keeper, has purchased the E. W. Heilman bookstore at the corner of East Main and North Water streets. The new proprietor is already in possession.

Riverside Park Theatre.

The Lyceum Company opens Tuesday night with a good comedy drama. The performances are free to all who ride on the car line. The company is a good one and should be greeted by a crowded house.

Mackinaw.

The Grace M. E. Sunday-school will go to Mackinaw on the P., D. & E. R. R. Tuesday, June 14. Friends of the school are cordially invited to go with them. j6-dtd

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can be learned during the summer months at Brown's Business College, Special rates. Call or write for circulars.

Ladies Waist

time in trying to find better bargains than we have to offer.

june2-dtf E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

Blaine's Resignation.

The resignation of Secretary Blaine has developed the fact that few believed, namely, that Mr. Blaine has been in harmony with the movements of Platt, Quay and Clarkson to defeat President Harrison. Mr. Platt says that he has been in communication with Blaine for two weeks, and the resignation was reported in Minneapolis by Clarkson some time before the resignation was laid before the president. It is not known whether Blaine will accept the nomination if tendered him.

While this may be true and may strike many Republicans as being unjustifiable on Mr. Blaine's part, it does not follow that he is out of harmony with the principles of the party, and on this account Republicans who feel disappointed in Mr. Blaine's course should be careful not to make, in the heat of excitement, threats and declarations that in their calm moments they will regret. It is uncalled for at this time, as no one can yet predict what the convention at Minneapolis will do, and when that body has completed its work it is altogether probable that these threats, that are calculated to bring dissentions in the party, will have been altogether irrelevant to the real situation.

CAME AFTER LANG.

A Requisition Brought by Sheriff Odell for the Iowa Desperado.

Sheriff Odell, of Manchester, Iowa, arrived in the city to-day from Springfield, where he obtained a requisition for George E. Lang, the desperado arrested the other day at Farmer Roby's home in Long Creek township at the point of a revolver by Officers Loech and Midkiff. Lang will be taken to Manchester to-night by Odell and put in a good strong jail.

In the course of a chat with Sheriff Odell that official stated that when the news reached Manchester that Lang had been caught it occasioned general interest. Lang, he said, is known by everybody at Manchester as a desperate character, and his apprehension now after eight years in hiding revives all of the bad feeling against him. Odell says Lang will certainly get 8 to 10 years for stealing a horse, and he will get 20 to 25 years for blowing open a safe, from which he stole $450. The sheriff visited Lang at the jail this afternoon in company with Deputy Midkiff, Marshal Mason and Officer Leech.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Smith Walker is in Chicago.

Aaron Kaufman is in Indianapolis.

Miss Minnie Bachman is on the sick list.

Miss May Grindol is visiting relatives in St. Louis.

Miss Ada Haines is visiting relatives in Danville.

Frank Elwood left to-day for Chicago on business.

Dr. J. N. Randall is in Oakley to-day on business.

Mrs. W. F. Colladay is in Danville visiting relatives.

Hon. Jason Rogers left for Bloomington Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ed. Leech and children are visiting relatives in Mt. Zion.

Miss Carolyn Griswold departed to-day for a short stay in Chicago.

Mrs. C. B. Hughes has returned from a visit with relatives in Bement.

County Clerk George P. Hardy went to Shelbyville to-day on business.

Mrs. Wayne Wilson and children left to-day for Mattoon to visit relatives.

Mrs. Harry Wolfe, of Littletown, Pa., is the guest of James Huff and family

Mrs. Charles Davis, of Littleton, Pa. is the guest of Philip Kemper and family

Miss Alta Chenoweth, of Atlanta, Ga., is in the city visiting Mrs. O. N. Bramble.

Mrs. J. S. Starr and daughter, Miss Edith, are visiting relatives in Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. George V. Peake have returned from their bridal trip to Chicago.

Postmaster J. T. Hubbard and Hon. Hugh Cresh left for Minneapolis Saturday night.

Mrs. M. J. Dills, of Atlanta, is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. P. Young.

Fred Baldwin has returned from a four month's business trip through Eastern states.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Powers have returned from a visit with relatives in Bloomington.

Mrs. E. E. Wangelin of Belleville is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Steele.

James C. Lake came home from Chicago Saturday night to attend the funeral of his aged mother.

Mrs. D. S. Shellabarger and daughter, Miss Marie, departed to-day for Chicago, to be absent one week.

Miss Grace Myers has accepted the position of stenographer in the office of Attorney C. C. Lesforge.

Harry Floyd, who has been in the city visiting W. S. Ennis, departed Saturday night for his home in Boston.

Miss Belle M. Steele, accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. Moore, returned last night from Annapolis, Md.

M. Haworth and F. M. Cox departed to-day for Chicago. Mr. Haworth will visit his son, George D. Haworth.

Miss Ottie Alexander is still quite sick at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Alexander, northeast of the city.

Dr. J. S. King was at Leroy over Sunday where he visited his aged father who is enthusiastic for Harrison's renomination.

Sheriff Parl returned Saturday night from Peoria, where he witnessed the test of the waterworks. It was entirely successful.

Miss Cora Brook will entertain a party of friends next Tuesday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Minor Brook, in Riverside Place.

Mrs. C. W. Waggoner of Grafton, Ind., sister of Mrs. John A. Barnes, arrived this morning from Indianapolis, where she has been attending her invalid daughter.

Sergeant Cyrus Miller, of Cottage 6, Soldiers' Home, Quincy, is in the city on a visit. He reports everybody happy at the Home, and Major Rowland, the Superintendent, the right man in the right place.

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, received by B. Z. Taylor.

LIVE STOCK—Estimated receipts—
Hogs—54,000; 5c lower.
Cattle—17,000; slow.

GRAIN—Car lots—
Wheat 118; Corn 241; Oats 169.

	JUNE.	JULY.	AUGUST.
WHEAT	$ .84¼	$ .84¾	$ ——
CORN	.50⅝	.49⅞	——
OATS	.32¾	.32⅝	——

	JUNE.	JULY.
PORK	10.45	10.62
LARD	6.40	6.55
RIBS	6.32	6.40

Great Removal Sale.

Everything at less than value. *Remnants* half price. Wall-paper, curtains and carpets; must reduce stock before we move to the new store on North Water street. ABEL'S CARPET HOUSE.

SERMON BY REV. J. S. WOODS.

Subject, "A Day of Prayer for a Nation's Crime."

Sunday evening at the African M. E. church Rev. J. S. Woods, the pastor, delivered a sermon on a live topic. A summary of the discourse is given below:

Twenty seven years ago the welcome words of peace were received with exulting joy in every loyal home of our war-stricken nation. The greatest civil war of the world was over and the shattered remnants of a grand army were returned home with shouts of peace and songs of victory. * * * After four years of awful warfare and final victory our own General Grant than whom the world has never produced a greater, said, "Let us have peace," and a peace loving people caught up the divine words and wafted them like sea waves over hill, mountain and plain, until the whole country was ringing with the joyful sound. Nearly 1,400,000 men and $3,600,000,000 went down in this sea of carnage and destruction, yet there was enough left of true patriotism to overcome all discouragements, and to hope for a new and better life. * * * This was a most signal triumph for the advocates of human rights and liberty. It was the culmination of all the great efforts of the champions of abolition. It was God's answer to the prayer of the ill-fated slaves, who used to "steal away to Jesus" and pray for deliverance. * * * But there is a problem that grew out of the results of the war. The relation between master and slave was completely changed; so much so that a feeling of antipathy now exists between them which promises to precipitate the country into another crisis.

So long as Tom and his children were abject slaves there was a feeling of mutual regard and sympathy existing between the two distinct races. But just as soon as Tom's children became freedmen and citizens, with equal rights with "ole massa's" children, then came the tug of war which continues to this day. This state of affairs, one would judge, would be the natural sequence of this sudden change from slavery to freedom and citizenship. But it was hoped also that as years passed by and the freedmen became stronger intellectually, morally and financially, that this feeling of animosity would pass away. But it is quite the opposite. His citizenship is still questioned and civil rights denied. * * * There is not a single governor, legislature, or court, that will accord to him civil protection and legal justice. Yet with all this, there are some good men of the north whose political affiliation is with this kind of misrule, are vainly crying "Peace, peace" when there is no peace. When I think of the fact that since the close of the war 50,000 defenceless men and helpless women and children have been slain without judge or jury. * * * I may be charged with bringing politics into the holy precincts of God's house, but I care not for the criticism. When the civil life of my people is in peril I must and will cry aloud and spare not. Any other race under heaven would do so. I will denounce any political party that seeks to crush the life out of any class of people in this country. The Prohibition preacher is classed among the heroes of the day if he will get up before his congregation and denounce in true political terms the Republican and Democratic parties. He preaches political prohibition from the sacred desk and nothing is said about it, but when another preacher gets up and speaks a word against prohibition in favor of any other party, he is lowering the dignity of his calling. Then I am told by a good prohibitionist that the inter-racial difficulties in the south will never be solved by politics. I might say that the great temperance question will never be settled by politics. I believe that the great Keeley cure is the beginning of God's answer to the many thousands of christians' prayers for the overthrow of the liquor power in this world. Let us pray that God will give us another Lincoln, another Grant, another congress and supreme court that defend the cause of every oppressed citizen of the country

Sales of Real Estate.

Welcon Rittenhouse to W. H. Hise, quit claim to 2 acres of land in 29, 15, 3 east—$250.

John G. Harvey to Lillian C. Porter, deed to lots 10 and 11, block 19 in Blue Mound—$2,200.

Francis H. Mooney to Alonzo Hall, deed to lots 6 and 7, block 2 in Niantic—$625.

Abijah Freeman to Alonzo Hall, deed to lots 3 and 4. Ward's sub-division in Blue Mound—$250.

Evaline L. Still to Mary J. Wyckoff, quit claim to 80 acres in 18, 17, 4 east—$5,400.

Mary J. Wyckoff to Evaline J. Still, quit claim to 80 acres in 7 and 8, in 17, 4 east—$3,300.

James J. Finn to Lucy A. Hoover, master's deed to tract of land in 14, 18, 1 east—$17,220.

James J. Finn to Barton S. Tyler, master's deed to tract of land in 28, 16, 3 east—$8,743.80.

John G. Harvey to Dennis W. Porter, deed to lot in Blue Mound—$700.

Mary L. Ferrill to E. H. Jeffres, deed to lot 7, block 2, 3d Rolling Mill addition —$1,100.

David C. Moffit to Jessie L. Baum, deed to lot 9, H. S. Evans subdivision—$500.

J. J. Finn, master's deed to J. A. Brown, lot 1 in master's sub-division of lot 1, block 2, of Cowan & Hostetler's addition to Decatur—$3,332.

J. J. Finn, master's deed to S. B. Collins, lot 4 of the master's sub-division of lot 1 in block 2 of Cowan Hostetler's addition to Decatur—$1,850.

J. J. Finn, master's deed to Nancy J. Hounsley, lots 5 and 6 in the master's subdivision of lot 1 in block 2 of Cowan & Hostetler's addition to Decatur—$3,118.

Robert Patterson to G. L. Hight, a lot in the northwest corner of lot 13 in the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of 33, 15, 2 east—$700.

Notice to Customers.

Mrs. R. C. Hamsher will be ready for business at her millinery store in the Newell building by the last of the week. The hats ordered previous to the fire were not damaged They were saved, and can be had by calling at the store' Mrs. Hamsher is now ready to receive orders for millinery work. 6-2t

Tailless Cats.

Conditions other than those of mere breeding seem to have much influence on the development of physical character in cats. In one authenticated case a tabby, which had lost her tail by having that appendage run over, gave birth in her next litter to three stump tailed kittens out of seven. The Manx cat is not the only tailless variety. In the Crimea is found another kind of cat which has no tail. The domesticated Malay cat has a tail that is only about one-half the usual length, and very often it is tied by nature in a sort of knot which cannot be straightened out.—Interview in Washington Star.

The Color of the Eye.

The color of the iris is not uniform in any eye. Some eyes have spots, others stripes, still others blotches of white, green, blue, yellow and black, and the eye takes its color from the predominance of one hue. An eye that is considered gray will often be composed of black and yellow. An eye that is thought to be brown will be very dark red, with spots of yellow or blue.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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DURING THE MONTH OF JUNE WE WILL OFFER

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Printed Chevalier Cloth At 15c, Former Price, 25c.

LOOK AT THE GREAT BARGAINS IN SILKS.

Surah Silks AT 25c, Worth 50c.

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The famous Red River valley is by some students of such comparative values declared to be the third agricultural region, in point of fertility, in the world, there being one Asiatic and one African valley in the foreground beyond it. This Red River valley takes in many counties of Minnesota and the most easterly counties of the two Dakotas. It is prairie land of black soil that once formed the bed or deposit of an ancient sea. It reaches up into Canada, beyond Winnipeg, and is a great deal richer at its southern end in the United States than in Canada. This region pours its wealth of grain (or a great part of it) into Minnesota's twin cities, there to exchange it for merchandise. Other cereals and cattle are produced beyond this valley in the new states, and the valley itself returns the same commodities along with its wonderful output of wheat.—Julian Ralph in Harper's.

To Cure a Red Nose.

"I have always been troubled with a nose that would turn reddish whenever I particularly desired to look my best," said a pretty young girl, "but I really think I have found an antidote. At least it has proved very efficacious in my case, and as I experienced such genuine discomfort with my unfortunate nose I would like to suggest the remedy to similarly afflicted sisters. At all events it will do no harm, for it is simply to wash the entire face at night with hot water and afterward rub the nose well with alcohol; this does not irritate the skin as it might seem. Chronic redness comes from a defective circulation and the alcohol acts as a tonic to the capillary tubes. This is also, I am told, an excellent remedy for pimples or a rough skin."—New York Tribune.

Strength of Bricks.

A test of brick made by the dry clay process at Watertown arsenal showed an average compressive strength of 3,973 pounds per square inch. In one instance it reached 4,473 pounds per square inch. A test was made at the same place on a "fancy pressed brick." The first crack developed a pressure of 305,000 pounds, and the brick crushed at 364,300 pounds, or 11,130 pounds per square inch. This indicates almost as great compressive strength as granite paving blocks, which is from 12,000 to 20,000 pounds per square inch.—New York Telegram.

Didn't Have to be Called.

Papa—What in the world has got into Bobby? He was up before daylight this morning.

Mamma—This is Saturday.—Good News.

Soup Sets.

An elegant Moss Rose soup set for $3.75 at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW. June2-dtf

SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS.

PYTHIAN SISTERS,

A meeting of Pythian Sisters to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock sharp. Full attendance required. Business to be transacted. By order of MRS. CORA DILLEHUNT, M. E. C.
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